

**REMARKS**

In the Restriction Requirement mailed March 17, 2006, the Examiner has restricted the claims to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. 121:

- I. Claims 6-21, drawn to apparatus, classified in class 248, subclass 74.1.
- II. Claims 25-28, drawn to methods, classified in class 405, subclass 154.

Applicant elects, Group I, where claims 6 - 21, 29 - 34 read thereon. Applicant cancels claims 25-28 (Group II) without prejudice or disclaimer, and reserves the right to reintroduce them in one or more Divisional applications at a later date.

**CONCLUSION**

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 359-3276 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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